

The Weekly Whim | Block 13: A Bright Exchange

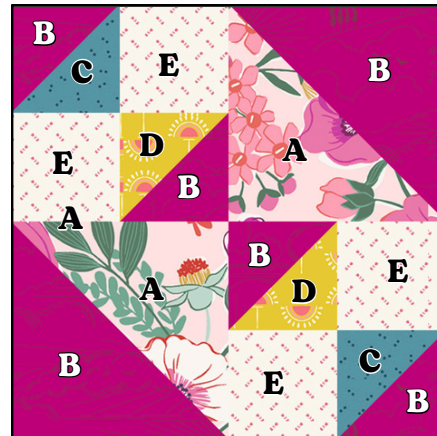
Welcome to The Weekly Whim, a weekly quilt block series stitched one block at a time with scraps, stories, and a gentle focus on becoming.

Today's Block 13, A Bright Exchange, brings together half-square triangles in multiple sizes with smaller patchwork units for a lively mix of color and motion.

This block celebrates the fun of combining familiar fabrics with new prints while also marking an exciting milestone – we're beginning to assemble some of our blocks!

For this step, also bring along:

- Blocks #4 and #11
- One 1½" × 16½" strip of your background fabric (scrappy or solid, your choice)



12" finished

My Standard Note About Fabric Choices

In this series, I lean into building a scrappy quilt one block at a time. The more fabrics you use (within reason), the more variety you'll have to scatter across future blocks, which helps the finished quilt feel cohesive and "sensical." That said, using fewer fabrics is perfectly acceptable too – choose the balance that feels right for you.

Cutting Instructions (for one block):

- A: (1) - 7 ¼" square
- B: (1) - 7 ¼" square
(2) - 4 ¼" squares
- C: (1) - 4 ¼" square
- D: (1) - 4 ¼" square
- E: (4) 3 ½" squares

For complete instructions for creating this and other *The Weekly Whim* sampler blocks, follow along at *A Scrappy Little Joy* YouTube channel under *The Weekly Whim* playlist. Subscribe for weekly blocks and simple, scrappy inspiration.

I'd love to see your block! Come join is at the *A Scrappy Little Joy* Facebook group or tag me on Instagram @serendipitywoods #theweeklywhim #ascrappylittlejoy